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Dear Harold,

This morning, I spoke to Jim Lesar, and thought it appropriate that I write to you with my reaction of what he told me is going on back there. (There is hardly any news published in the L.A. papers on assassination-related events).

I understand that it was the lawsuit filed on your behalf by Jim Lesar which resulted in the recent release of spectro and Neutron Activation Analysis material. I am very sorry to hear of any shabby treatment you may be getting by those who brush you aside and march before the nearest microphone with materials which wouldn't have been available, in the first place, without the methodical legal spadework.

It is a fact of life, in our society, that many people usually get the benefits of a legal battle which was, in fact, carried forward by one particular person. But none of this excuses any shabby treatment I have been hearing about.

I wish you luck in your future legal battles.

Sincerely,

David Lifton